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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, mailed January 7, 2002, transmitted herewith are seventeen (17) sheets of formal drawings comprising substitute drawings for the above-identified application. These substitute drawings now comply with 37 CFR §1.84. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated January 7, 2002.

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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 - are not on the correct size paper (see 37 CFR 1.84(f)) The size of the sheets on which drawings are made must be either 21.0 cm. by 29.7 cm. (DIN size A4) or 21.6 cm. by 27.9 cm (8 ½ by 11 inches);

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